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Arms-control advocate Herbert Scoville Jr., 70

WASHINGTON [UPI]—Dr. Herbert "Pete" Scoville Jr., who used his scientific knowledge to create a public awareness of the importance of arms control, died Tuesday at Georgetown University Hospital of unknown causes. He was 70.

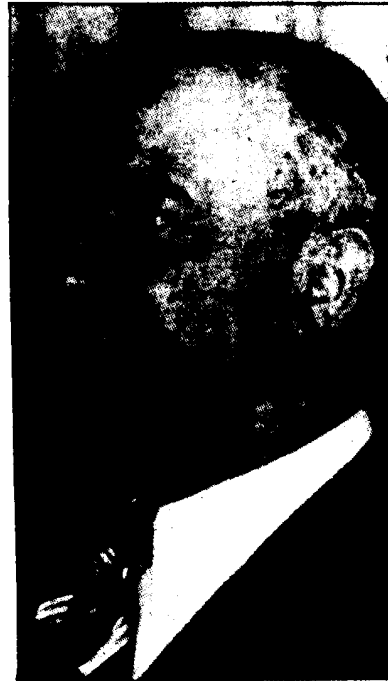
Mr. Scoville was assistant director of science and technology for the CIA from 1963 to 1969. He also worked for the Defense Department, the Atomic Energy Commission and the National Defense Research Committee.

After 27 years in government service, he helped found the Arms Control Association to disseminate information about nuclear weapons, strategies for controlling them and the consequences of failing to do so.

Besides being president of the Arms Control Association, Mr. Scoville was a board member on the Council for a Livable World and on the board of the Union of Concerned Scientists.

Mr. Scoville was born March 16, 1915, in New York City. He graduated from Yale University in 1937 and did graduate work in chemistry at Cambridge University in England and at the University of Rochester in Rochester, N.Y.

He is survived by his wife, Ann Curtiss Scoville of McLean, Va., and Taconic, Conn.; four children, Anthony Scoville, Thomas Scoville and Molly Fitzmaurice, all of Washington, and Nicholas Scoville of Los Angeles; and six grandchildren.



Dr. Herbert Scoville Jr. in 1970